f liquor at night? I do not think the rules allow the sale of liquor after 12 o'clock.

PRESIDENT.

I think the detective staff do not do their duty properly. For there is a time-limit for the sale of liquor during night.

Mr. T. A. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR.

Sub-division (f)—did not the Government promise to remove the shop from its present site? Was there any complaint in regard to the location of this shop in the present site, and has the Government given a promise that the complaint shall be enquired into and the shop removed?

Mr. V. B. VAIDYANATHA AYYAR.

In the previous years the shop was not located in the present site. In fact, the shop, as I have come to know, was located in the market itself. It was nearer to the public road than the present site Further, I do not remember to have received any complaint, nor has any complaint reached the Government about this shop, either as to the noise or as to its location.

PRESIDENT.

If the shop was located in the particular place, the complaint must be with regard to the location of some other shop in some other place.

The opening of a new arrack shop in Mattancheri.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

191. Will the Government be pleased to state

(a) Whether a new arrack shop has not been opened in Toppumpadi, Mattancheri, in addition to the arrack depots sanctioned in the Diwan's Notification, dated 27th Kumbham 1100, regarding the sale of arrack shops for 1101; and

(b) the special reason, if any, for opening this shop in contravention of the opinion of the Legislative Council expressed in the course of the budget discussion that the policy of the Government should be to reduce the consumption of arrack in the State?

Mr. V. B. VAIDYANATHA AYYAR.

(a) No.

(b) Does not call for an answer in view of the reply to part (a).

An article in the "Suprabhatom".

Mr. C. A. KUNJUNNI RAJA.

192. (a) Will the Government be pleased to state whether its attention was drawn to an article under the heading "ശ്രീ

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